

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Serial No.: 10/525,700)Rivera, Joshel
Filed: 2/22/2005)Art Unit
For: CERAMIC HOLLOW FIBERS MADE FROM)4122
NANOSCALE POWDER PARTICLES)

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RESPONSE

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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In response to an Election/Restriction Office Action mailed March 17, 2009, the Applicant submits a petition for one (1) month Extension of Time to respond and amend the hereinabove referenced patent application as follows: